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In re Application of: **William Brown, Andrew Griffin and Christopher Walpole**

Serial No.: **10/541,656**

Group Art Unit: **1625**

Filed: **July 7, 2005**

Examiner: **David K. O'Dell**

Confirmation No.: **3440**

Title: **Diarylmethylidene Piperidine Derivatives, Preparations Thereof and Uses Thereof**

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

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Respectfully submitted,

ASTRAZENECA AB

Date: 6-25-08

By: 

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Title: **DIRECTOR PATENTS, WILMINGTON**

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## ASSIGNMENT

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we

William BROWN, Andrew GRIFFIN and Christopher WALPOLE all of AstraZeneca R&D Montreal, 7171 Frederick-Banting, St Laurent, Québec H4S 1Z9, Canada

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### DIARYLMETHYLIDENE PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVES, PREPARATIONS THEREOF AND USES THEREOF

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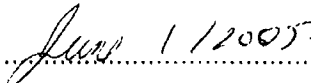
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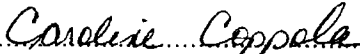
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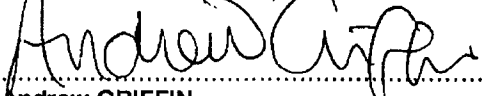
  
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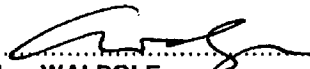
  
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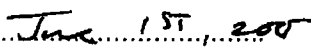
  
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